

Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
U.S. Application No. 09/335,518

Please add the following new claims:

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82 17. (New) The color image capturing device according to claim 1, wherein said rows of image sensing elements are arranged in parallel at a pitch equivalent to four times the height of said image sensing element.

18. (New) The color image capturing device according to claim 5, wherein said shielding part is formed by a metallic plate.